

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF FLORIDA

CASE NO. 24-80139-CR-DAMIAN

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,

Plaintiff,  
vs.

MAURICIO LOPEZ-CARDONA,

Defendant.

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**ORDER ADOPTING MAGISTRATE JUDGE'S REPORT AND  
RECOMMENDATION FOLLOWING CHANGE OF PLEA HEARING [ECF NO.42]**

THIS CAUSE came before the Court on Magistrate Judge William Matthewman's Report and Recommendations on Change of Plea, entered on February 4, 2025 [ECF No. 42]. To date, no party has filed an objection, and the time to do so has passed.

THIS COURT has reviewed Judge Matthewman's Report and Recommendations and the pertinent portions of the record, and, being fully advised, it is

**ORDERED AND ADJUDGED** that the Report [ECF No. 42] is **AFFIRMED AND ADOPTED**. Defendant, Mauricio Lopez-Cardona's, change of plea is accepted, and Defendant is adjudicated guilty as to Count 1 of the Indictment.

A Sentencing Hearing will be set by separate Order.

**DONE AND ORDERED** in Chambers in the Southern District of Florida, this 11th day of February, 2025.

  
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MELISSA DAMIAN  
UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE

cc: counsel of record  
Magistrate Judge William Matthewman